

House Resolution No. 817

Whereas, the mission of University Outreach and Extension is to serve Missouri by extending the research-based knowledge and problem-solving resources of the University of Missouri and Lincoln University to focus on high-priority needs of people throughout the Show-Me State; and

Whereas, University Outreach and Extension responds to Missourians' high-priority needs, as identified through comprehensive needs assessment and planning involving more than 7,000 citizens in all 114 counties; and

Whereas, University Outreach and Extension's 21st Century Strategic Direction focuses its resources on three program priorities - enhancing economic viability, building strong individuals, families and communities, and creating and sustaining healthy environments; and

Whereas, nearly 2,000 Missouri citizens, who are elected or appointed to serve on outreach and extension councils in every Missouri county, represent the people of the counties and work to increase access to university outreach programs at the local level; and

Whereas, it is entirely fitting and proper that this legislative body recognize the programs that improve the lives of the citizenry of Missouri:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in encouraging all Missourians to participate in University Outreach and Extension Week, which will be celebrated throughout the Show-Me State during the week of May 20-24, 2002; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for celebration during University Outreach and Extension Week.

Offered by _____
Representative Harold R. Selby
District No. 105

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 817, adopted March 18, 2002.

Jim Kreider, Speaker